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I support Proposal 2 as a proposal that is based on sound science and a reasonable response to the issues involved.

More personally, I urge you to consider the social benefits of protecting our fisheries without excessively restricting recreational fishing. Do not needlessly take away the joy and pride of a child catching a fish on a boat with a parent, and then contributing the fish to a healthy family meal (nutritionally healthy and psychologically healthy). Also, I have seen formerly drug and alcohol addicted teenagers turn to fishing as a healthy alternative.

Thank you.

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